TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notice dated 18th December 1917.

1. The public are hereby informed that the usual cattle show will be held at the time of Sri Subrahmanyaswami Jatra on the Western bank of the river Northern Pennar at Nagalmadike village in the Pavagada Taluk. The show will commence on Friday the 18th January 1918.

2. The cattle show is intended to give to the raiyats an idea of the several kinds of cattle bred in and beyond the Tumkur District and thus to promote general improvement in the breed of cattle. The several classes of cattle which will be admitted to the show and the award of prizes are noted in the appendix.

3. Arrangements will be made to promote competition and to induce cattle owners to exhibit the best cattle available by awarding prizes. A tax of one anna per head for bulls and cows, etc., will be levied on all cattle. Those who desire to have special facilities for sale of cattle are requested to address the Amildar or the Honorary Secretary of the Committee, Cattle Show, Nagalmadike, before the opening of the show.

4. The right of recovering the taxes on cattle assembled and on shops opened at the jatra will be sold by public auction on the 16th January 1918, at Nagalmadike, before the Amildar or the Sub-Division Officer. The confirmation or otherwise of the same will rest with the sale conducting officer.

5. The owners of cattle should arrange to bring with them the required quantity of fodder for their cattle brought for the jatra.

6. Every animal admitted to the show enclosure should be accompanied by a sufficient number of men to keep it under proper control.

7.—Prizes will be awarded as shown in the sub-joined appendix on the 20th January 1918, to the owners of the best cattle decided by a Committee of judges.

8. Only cattle considered suitable will be allowed to compete in the cattle show for prizes.

9. No animal which has been awarded one prize will be allowed to compete in the cattle show for any other prize.

10. Working cattle may, in the opinion of the judge be subjected to a practical test as to their power of draught, etc.

11. The Committee of the judges will have the power to withhold or change any prize in the absence of eligible exhibit and to award the same for any other exhibit of sufficient merit.

12. Admittance of cattle into the show enclosure will be closed at noon on the 20th January 1918.

13. All persons who become exhibitors of cattle will be held to have signified their consent and acceptance to the above conditions and to such other conditions which the Committee may hereafter prescribe.

14. A fee of two annas per head will be levied on cattle entering the exhibition enclosure for competition.

No.	Particulars	Amount of each prize		
		First	Second	Third
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I	Breeding bulls	7	6	4
II	Bullocks—			
	(1) Ploughing	6	5	
	(2) Draught	6	4	
	(3) Dawk bullocks	6	4	
	(4) Local breed	6	5	2
III	Cows with calves	6	4	
IV	Sheep—(a) Ram	3	2	
	(b) Ewe	3	2	
	(c) Goat	3	2	
V	He-buffalo	4	3	
VI	She-buffalo with calf	4	3	
	Total	54	40	6

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